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January 25, 2001

Ted W. Strickland, Treasurer
Fund for A Conservative Future
P.O. Box 13300
Oklahoma City, OK 73113

Identification Number: C00326082

Reference: July Quarterly (4/1/00-6/30/00) and October Quarterly (7/1/00-9/30/00)
Reports

Dear Mr. Strickland:

This letter is to inform you that as of January 24, 2001 the Commission has not received your response to our requests for additional information dated January 3, 2000. These notices request information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. To ensure compliance with the provisions of the Federal Election Campaign Act (the Act), please respond to these requests (copies enclosed).

An adequate response must be received at the Commission by February 14, 2001. Adequate responses received on or before this date will be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. **Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered.** Failure to provide an adequate response by this date may result in an audit of the committee. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action.

If you should have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Alice Kang on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or our local number (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

John D. Gibson
Assistant Staff Director
Reports Analysis Division

Enclosures



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Dear Mr. Strickland:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-Schedule B supporting Line 23 of your report discloses a contribution(s) to a candidate(s) for the primary election; however, the funds were disbursed after the election date(s) (pertinent portion(s) attached). Please note that contributions may not be designated for an election which has already occurred unless the funds are to be used to reduce a candidate committee's debts incurred during that election campaign.

If the contribution(s) in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you should amend your original report with clarifying information. If you have made an impermissible contribution, you should notify the recipient and request a refund and/or notify the recipient in writing of your redesignation of the contribution. In the best interest of your committee, all refunds and redesignations should be made within sixty days of the treasurer's receipt of the contribution(s).

Please inform the Commission of your corrective action immediately in writing and provide a photocopy of the refund or redesignation request sent to the recipient committee(s). In addition, any refunds should be disclosed on Schedule A supporting Line 16 of the report covering the period during which they are received. Any redesignations should be disclosed as memo entries on Schedule B supporting Line 23 of the report covering the period

during which the redesignation is made. 11 CFR §110.1(b)

Although the Commission may take further legal action regarding this impermissible activity, your prompt action in obtaining a refund and/or redesignating the contribution(s) will be taken into consideration.

-Your report discloses no payments for administrative expenses. Administrative expenses are payments made for the purpose of operating a political committee including, but not limited to, rent, utilities, salaries, telephone service, office equipment and supplies. Any such payments to a person aggregating in excess of \$200 in a calendar year must be disclosed on Schedule B, supporting Line 21(b) of the Detailed Summary Page. 2 U.S.C. §434(b)(5) If these expenses are being paid by a connected organization, your Statement of Organization must be amended to reflect this relationship. 2 U.S.C. §433(b)(2) In addition, if expenses have been incurred but not paid in a reporting period, the activity should be disclosed as a debt on Schedule D, if the obligation is \$500 or more, or outstanding for sixty days or more. 11 CFR §104.11

Any goods or services provided to your committee by a person, except volunteer activity (i.e., a person's time), would be considered an in-kind contribution from that person, and would be subject to the disclosure requirements of 2 U.S.C. §434(b)(3) and 11 CFR §104.13, and the limitations and prohibitions of 2 U.S.C. §§441a and 441b.

Clarification regarding administrative expenses should be disclosed during each two year election cycle beginning with the first report filed in the non-election year. Please verify that all expenses referenced above (i.e., rent, salaries, utilities, etc.) have been adequately disclosed. If these services have been provided by volunteers, please confirm this in writing.

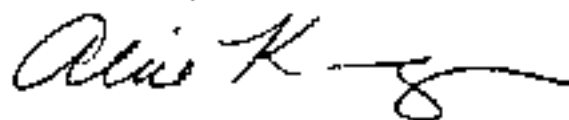
-Please amend Schedule B supporting Line 23 by providing the office sought (House or Senate), state and congressional district for each contribution made. 11 CFR §104.3(b)(3)(ii) and (v)

-For future reporting, please be advised that only contributions to federal candidates and political committees should be itemized on a separate Schedule B supporting Line 23 of the Detailed Summary Page. Contributions to non-federal candidates and committees should be itemized on Schedule B supporting Line 29.

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A written response or an amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division). My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Alice Kang", followed by a long horizontal flourish.

Alice Kang
Reports Analyst
Reports Analysis Division

SCHEDULE B

ITEMIZED DISBURSEMENTS

Use separate schedule(s)
for each category of the
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Any information reported from such Reports and Statements may not be said or used by any person for the purpose of soliciting contributions or for commercial purposes, other than using the name and address of any political committee to solicit contributions from such committee.

NAME OF COMMITTEE (In Full)

Fund for a Conservative Future

Full Name, Mailing Address and Zip Code	Purpose of Disbursement Contribution	Date (month, day, year)	Amount of Each Disbursement This Period
Friends Of Benton Sandy 400 East Maple Fayetteville, R 72701-	Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	09/15/2000	500.00
ak Full Name, Mailing Address and Zip Code Friends Of Connie H. Mack 2400 East Las-Clas Boulevard — #421 Port Lauderdale, FL 33301-	Purpose of Disbursement Contribution Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	09/15/2000	250.00
Full Name, Mailing Address and Zip Code Fair for Senate 720 NW Fort Sill Boulevard - Lawton, OK 73507-	Purpose of Disbursement Contribution Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	09/21/2000	1,000.00
ak Full Name, Mailing Address and Zip Code Mettingly For Senate 443 E. Alamosa Ferry Atlanta, G 30305-	Purpose of Disbursement Contribution Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	09/21/2000	1,300.00
ak Full Name, Mailing Address and Zip Code McCollum For Senate 605 E. Robinson Suite 105 Orlando, FL 32601-	Purpose of Disbursement Contribution Disbursement for: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	09/22/2000	1,000.00
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SUBTOTAL of Disbursements This Page (optional)

3,750.00

TOTAL This Period (last page this line number only)

3,750.00

The first part of the paper discusses the importance of the research and the objectives of the study. It then presents a literature review of the existing research on the topic. The methodology section describes the research design and the data collection process. The results section presents the findings of the study, and the conclusion section summarizes the main points and provides recommendations for future research.

The study was conducted in a laboratory setting, and the data were collected using a series of questionnaires and interviews. The results show that there is a significant relationship between the variables studied, and the findings are consistent with the previous research. The study also identified some limitations and suggested areas for further research.

The research was supported by the National Science Foundation, and the authors would like to thank the reviewers for their valuable comments and suggestions. The authors also acknowledge the assistance of the research assistants throughout the study.

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